

**Memorandum
Mayor's Office**

To: Members of the City Council
Subject: Appointments and Reappointment
Date: September 24th, 2013



Action is required to appoint / reappoint several members on various boards and commissions to terms as listed below.

Library Board

One appointment is needed to replace the vacancy created when Evie White retired from the board.

It is recommended that Carol Horstmann be appointed to a three year term, expiring April 30th, 2016. Ms. Horstmann is a long time resident of Rock Island and has been very active in the Library's "Friends of the Library", currently serving as the groups secretary.

Rock Island Housing Authority

Reappointments:

Terry Brooks reappoint to a five year term to expire 10/10/2018
Rev. Joseph Williamson III reappoint to a five year term to expire 10/10/2018

Property Maintenance Board of Appeals

Reappointments:

Greg Harmon reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/2016
Diane Oestreich reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/2016

Plumbing Code Board of Appeals

Appointments:

There are two board appointments needed to replace vacant positions. Recommended:

Brent Husser: (term to end 07/25/16). Mr. Husser has been in Rock Island since 2000 and spent his entire career with KJWW as a Licensed, Professional Engineer in Iowa and Illinois. Mr. Husser graduated from Bradley University in Peoria, IL with a Bachelors Degree in Mechanical Engineering.

Reaksa Toum: (term to end 07/25/16). Owner of Toum Plumbing and have been doing work in Rock Island since 2002. Mr. Toum is a graduate of Blackhawk College and a State Licensed Contractor and Plumber in Illinois.

Reappointments:

Dan Bruner	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016
Bill Kale	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016
Alan Spears	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016
James T. Lowry Jr	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016
Rick Runge	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016

Mechanical Code Board of Appeals

Appointments:

There are two board appointments needed to replace Mr. James Hanna, who has passed away and an open slot. Recommended:

Brent Husser:(term to end 07/25/16). Mr. Husser has been in Rock Island since 2000 and spent his entire career with KJWW as a Licensed, Professional Engineer in Iowa and Illinois. Mr. Husser graduated from Bradley University in Peoria, IL with a Bachelors Degree in Mechanical Engineering.

Kevin Lesthaeghe: (term to end 07/25/16). Mr. Lesthaeghe went to school in Orion, IL. He has spent 28 year in HVAC, Schebler Company (Director HVAC) and volunteers as Chairman of JATC, Local 91. He currently holds an Iowa/ Illinois State Master Mechanical License (Hydronics, Refrigeration, HVAC, & Plumbing).

Reappointments:

James Maynard Jr.	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016
Gary Miner	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016
J. Carroll Pearson	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016
Daniel Widdell	reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/25/2016

Building Board of Appeals

Appointments:

The following new appointees are recommended for appointment to fill vacant positions:

Andy Powell- new appointee to expire in 2016; Bio: Works for Hodge Construction; email: andywpowell@netzero.com

David Andich- new appointee to expire in 2016; Bio: 1800 Third Avenue Suite 404, Rock Island, Illinois, 61201; Office: (309) 788-9337; email: dandich@nbsmail.net. Mr. Andich has lived in Rock Island for 20 years. Mr. Andich is a member of the family law firm of Andich & Andich. He served in the past as a Commissioner to the Office of the State Appellate Defender. Mr. Andich was appointed by the Illinois Supreme Court to serve as a member of the Illinois

Board of Admissions to the Bar. He is also a member of City of Rock Island Citizen Advisory Committee.

Kevin Gross- new appointee to expire in 2016; Bio info: 3 Sunset Circle, Bettendorf, IA 52722; phone 309-428-2139; email: kbgross1@yahoo.com or keving@missman.com. He lived in Rock Island from 2003 to 2012 and volunteer coaching youth basketball for the Bettendorf Youth Basketball Association, and coach youth basketball for the YMCA. Mr. Gross has a Masters and Bachelors degree of structural engineering from The University of Tennessee, Knoxville. He is a structural Engineer in the State of Illinois and a licensed Professional Engineer in the State of Iowa and currently works for Missman, Inc.

Reappointments:

Jeff Dismer reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/2016
Tim Nonneman reappoint to a three year term to expire 07/2016

Martin Luther King Jr. Center Board

Appointments:

Jim Kerr to a three year term to expire January, 2016
Don Payton to a three year term to expire January, 2016

Reappointments:

John Thorson reappoint to a three year term to expire 01/31/2016
Ed Yancy reappoint to a three year term to expire 01/31/2016

Recommendation: It is recommended that that appointments and reappointments be approved as stated.

Submitted by: Dennis E. Pauley, Mayor

Approved by: Dennis E. Pauley, Mayor